

FROM OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA.

Editor News:

If you will allow me a little space in your columns, I will attempt to give you a few of the happenings, and also tell you what I have seen during my stay in California.

Oakland is only five miles from Frisco, and any one can catch a ferry boat every 20 minutes across the Bay. The Southern Pacific Company have cars that will take you to the ferries, and there is also an electric line that runs out across the bay about three miles, and there makes connection with ferry boats, so this almost makes Frisco and Oakland as one, only five miles of water between.

There is not much need of me attempting to tell anything about the ruined city, only it is as bad at you can possibly picture it in your imagination. People who have never viewed the ruins, think newspapers have quoted it wrong, but after they spend a day or so in Frisco they will certainly change their minds when they see 20 square miles of wreck and ruin, which amounts to about \$25,000,000, and the number of persons rendered homeless about 75,000. The people who were indeed homeless and without money, fell to the mercies of the people of the United States, and you might say the whole world. They still live in tents and temporary quarters, and the question now is, how are the authorities going to get the people who are living in the parks and other places to find more suitable homes? Frisco is rebuilding beyond any ones expectations. Carpenters receive \$5 for 8 hours, and I could not tell how many carpenters there are in Frisco and Oakland, but I think there are about 5,000, and you can imagine the amount of money being spent for labor. I will close for this time, hoping to be able to see my old Adair county friends sometime, and tell them all about Frisco.

Respectfully,
CHESTER L. COLLINS.

The Charming Woman

is not necessarily one of perfect form and features. Many a plain woman who could never serve as an artist's model, possesses those rare qualities that all the world admires: neatness, clear eyes, clean smooth skin and that sprightliness of step and action that accompany good health. A physically weak woman is never attractive, not even to herself. Electric Bitters restore weak women, give strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, beautiful complexion. Guaranteed at T. E. Paul, Druggist 50c.

OLGA.

Mr. W. O. Loy, who was married to Miss Leora Helm, a short while since, has moved in our midst. Mr. Loy is a gentleman and we are glad to have him with us as a neighbor.

The school at this place taught by Mr. Robert Antle will be out on New Years day, and a big treat is expected by the pupils.

Mr. G. R. Wilkerson passed here last Saturday on his way home.

Rev. C. C. Loy closed a protracted meeting at Union Chapel last Sunday. No additions to the church.

When the cold winds dry and crack the skin a box of salve can save much discomfort. In buying salve look for the name on the box to avoid any imitations, and be sure you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, Columbia, Ky.

RUSSELL SPRINGS.

Connor Bros., are making preparations at the Russell Springs Hotel. They will be able to care for the traveling public, as well as to provide for many boarders in our school.

The exercises by the Sunday School class held at the Methodist church on Christmas day was a complete success. The house was crowded to its utmost capacity, and the behavior was perfect.

Our Academy opens Tuesday, January the 1st, and students are already coming in making arrangements to start on the first day. The outlook for a large school has never been so flattering as now. We all predict a large enrollment. The entire faculty is ready, the house is well equipped, and students are anxiously awaiting the time to begin.

Mr. Frank James is erecting a residence for Sherman Wade in the Longstreet vicinity.

Prof. J. C. Popplewell has returned from a three weeks visit to Illinois.

Winfield Grider and Miss Golda Hadley eloped on the evening of the 25th, we are informed. Both are excellent young people, and their age was the only objection.

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MONTPELIER.

A very happy New Year to all.

As usual X-mas passed off quietly with nothing evenful taking place.

Most all our teachers closed their schools and spent the holidays at their respective homes.

A lot of ammunition wasted and "some" game killed has been the order of the day.

We have not heard any complaint of dust lately.

Miss Ruby Jeffries' school closed the 14th of Dec., with very interesting entertainment in the afternoon. All who took parts in the exercises acquitted themselves creditably and Miss Nora Sanders deserves special praise for the manner in which she recited "How Betsey Jane got high culture."

Mr. Forest Bradshaw paid his parents a visit during the holidays.

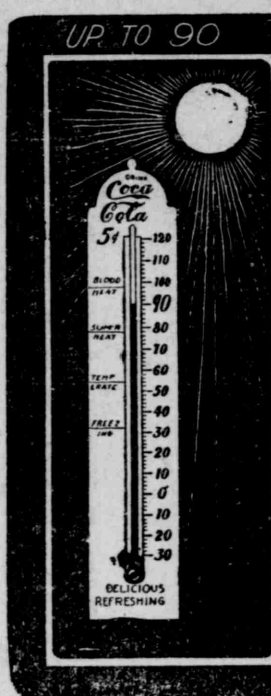
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Circuit Judge.—H. C. Baker.
Commonwealth's Attorney.—A. A. Huddleston.
Sheriff.—W. B. Patterson.
Circuit Clerk.—J. F. Neat.

COUNTY COURT.—First Monday in each month.
Judge.—Junius Hancock.
County Attorney.—G. P. Smythe.
Clerk.—T. R. Stultz.
Jailer.—A. W. Tarver.
Assessor.—G. W. Pike.
Surveyor.—W. M. McCubbin.
School Supt.—Mrs. G. R. Shelton.
Coroner.—C. W. Rowe.

CRIM. COURT.—
Mayor—Capt. W. W. Bradshaw.
Judge.—
Attorney.—Gordon Montgomery.
Marshal.—S. C. Strange.

CHURCH.

PRESBYTERIAN.

BURKESVILLE STREET.—Rev. W. C. Clemens, pastor. Services second and fourth Sundays in each month. Sunday-School at 9 a. m. every Sabbath. Prayermeeting every Wednesday night.

METHODIST.

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BAPTIST.

GREENSBURG STREET.— pastor First and third Sundays in each month. Sunday-School every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Prayermeeting Wednesday night.

CHRISTIAN.

CAMPBELLVILLE PIKE.—Eld. Z. T. Williams, pastor. Services second and fourth Sundays in each month. Sunday-School every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. Prayermeeting Wednesday night.

LODGE.

MASONIC.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 96, F. and A. M.—Regular meeting in their hall, over bank, on Friday night on or before the full moon in each month.
Gordon Montgomery, W. M.
E. G. Atkins, Secretary.

COLUMBIA CHAPTER, R. A. M., No. 7, meets Friday night after full moon. SAM LEWIS, H. P.
Horace Jeffries, Secretary.

COLUMBIA COUNCIL U. D., meets 2nd Friday night after full moon in each month.
E. G. ATKINS, T. I. M.,
T. R. STULTZ, RECORDER.

TECUMSEH OKLA.

We ask you to change our paper from this place to Phil, Ky., as we leave in a few days for the "Old Kentucky Home."

We enjoy your paper very much especially the letters from Elida, New Mexico. We left Portales, N. M., about four months ago. We think New Mexico a great country and regret very much that we cannot return.

With best wishes to all our Kentucky friends and to the News we are

J. W. EVANS
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